UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF MARYLAND

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TO COUNSEL OF RECORD

Re: Donnelly v. Slingshot Sports

Civil No. RDB 07-1965

Dear Counsel:

This will confirm the telephonic hearing conducted today with respect to initial scheduling in this matter. The Defendant has filed a Motion to Dismiss for Lack of Personal Jurisdiction or, in the Alternative, to Transfer this Case to the United States District Court for the District of Delaware. (Paper #5). The Plaintiff, with the consent of the Defendant, has requested a period to conduct limited discovery on the issue of the Defendant's contacts with Maryland. Accordingly, the Plaintiff shall have until Friday, January 11, 2008, to either file a response to the pending Motion to Dismiss or notify the Court of his consent to the transfer of this case.

Although informal in format, this letter constitutes an order of court and the Clerk is directed to docket it as such.

Sincerely,

/s/

Richard D. Bennett United States District Judge

RDB/skp